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TENDERS ARE INVITED FOR MAKING certain additions and alterations to a residence on Michigan Street, James Bay.

Plans and specifications may be seen at my office, where tenders must be delivered not later than 12 noon on Thursday, the 20th instant.

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I AM INSTRUCTED to sell by private sale a Flock of Purebred Angora Goats, 9 Goats and 5 Kids. For price and particulars apply to

W. R. CLARKE,
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June 7

PRIVATE SALE.

I AM INSTRUCTED BY MR. PETER JAMIESON to sell by private sale, his restaurant, the Poodle Dog, at Nanaimo. Satisfactory reasons will be given for disposing of this paying business. For further particulars apply to

W. R. CLARKE,
Auctioneer.

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NOTICE.

THE SUBSCRIBER INTENDING TO LEAVE for the east in the interest of the Histogenetic Medicine Co., will close his office here on the 30th inst. All parties indebted for medicines will please have their accounts paid up on or before that date, otherwise they will be sent for collection.

S. DES. BRISAY.

Victoria, 13th June, 1889.

P. S.—Histogenetic medicines can always be had at Langley & Co.'s je14-2w

NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED will not be responsible for any debts contracted in his name without his written order after 20th June.

THOMAS MATHEWS,
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June 20.

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MASONIC GRAND LODGE

Opened this Afternoon—A Large Number Present

The Masonic Grand Lodge of British Columbia was opened at two o'clock this afternoon in the Masonic Hall, Douglas street, Grand Master Milne presiding.

A large number of members, Grand Lodge officers and delegates from different parts of the province are present.

This evening the members of the Grand Lodge will be benquetted at the Delmonico by the subordinate Lodges of the city.

To-morrow (Sunday) morning the members of the Grand Lodge will assemble in the hall sharp at 10:30, and attend divine worship in St. John's church, the service being conducted by G. R. W. Bro. Bishop Sillitoe, of New Westminster, Grand Chaplain.

On Monday business sittings will be resumed, and it is likely the session will close on that day.

The subordinate lodges of the city have recently gone to large expense to renovate their hall, and after laying out some $1200, have equipped one of the most beautiful lodge rooms that can be seen anywhere. New oak seats, carpets, curtains and cushioned settees, rich in texture and color, have given the place a strikingly beautiful appearance. The Masons, and especially the committee having charge of the work, are to be congratulated on so good a job.

It is generally conceded that Mr. J. S. Clute, the present Deputy Grand Master, will be elected Grand Master.

CLERICAL REPRESENTATIVES

At the Presbyterian General Assembly in Toronto.

The following is clipped from the *Globe's* report of the Assembly proceedings:—

Rev. P. McF. McLeod, of Victoria, B. C., was then asked to address the Court on the general question before it. He confessed that until he went to British Columbia he did not understand or realize the great country lying to the west of the Rocky Mountains. Hon. Edward Blake called it a sea of mountains, and the people there were so incensed that Mr. Blake would get very few votes (Laughter.) He did not like the reputation given of British Columbia in some Mission report. The truth was that it was a country of fertile and admirable resources, being rich in mines, fisheries and timber. It was truly the garden of Canada and the Church should not neglect it.

Rev. T. G. Thomson, of Vancouver, B. C., then addressed the Assembly. He said that his name was brought before the Assembly three years ago in connection with the fire in Vancouver. The Church liberally responded to the appeal then made. Missions are only yet in their infancy in British Columbia. There is now a large influx to the country from all parts of the world and particularly from England, Scotland and Ireland. It was only reasonable, then, that the Church should deal liberally with that Province, the need for missionaries being great and urgent. British Columbia is being rapidly settled. It is not a sea of mountains, but a country of fertile valleys and rich mineral resources. All along the Fraser River the land is being rapidly taken up, and as yet the Presbyterian Church has only four missionaries in the district. He hoped the suggestions made by Mr. Macdonnell would be carried out by the Assembly, and that the ladies of the Church would incorporate in their Foreign Mission work the cause of Home Missions.

Rev. D. McRae, of Victoria, B. C., was the next speaker. He endorsed everything said by Mr. McLeod. He would say that with an experience of six years of the Northwest he went to British Columbia and the experience was of great advantage to him. There were difficulties to be met with in British Columbia, principally because the Church allowed one man to do the whole work for twenty years. It was difficult to regain now what was lost. The missionaries there had been encouraged by the splendid generosity of the Home Mission Committee.

THE ORIGIN OF THE FIRE.

A Glue Pot Deserves Equal Fame With Mrs. O'Leary's Cow.

Several statements having been made as to the origin of the fire, a *Post-Intelligencer* representative called on several of those who belonged to the shop at 92½ Front street where it started. The first interviewed was James McGough, a painter whose workshop was just overhead, above the one where the fire started. He stated as follows:

"My shop was in the flat just over where the fire occurred. At that time I was at work at a building at the corner of Fourth and Terrace streets, and hearing the alarm and being a fireman of Company No. 1, I quit work and hastened to join my company, not knowing the locality of the fire. From my best information the fire broke out in the shop of Clairmont & Co., cabinet makers, who occupied the ground floor basement, just beneath me. I am told several men were working there at that time. The one who caused the conflagration is a Swede named Berg. He threw a bucket of water over a burning glue-pot on the stove, which spread the flames at once. A heavy draft swept through the room from the two wide doors at its rear and front."

Calling upon Mr. Clairmont, who owned the place and employed the men where the fire started, he at once brought the reporter in the presence of two of them. They were Charley Stoll and a young man named Kittermaster. The former one stated as follows:

"When I went into the basement, I saw the glue on fire in the pot upon the stove. There were four others in the room, and I told them to pack up and get out. Kittermaster went after something to put over the flames and just then, a Swede named Berg, picked up a pail of water and dashed it over the glue kettle and stove. That sent the fire all through the shop. It was a sheet iron stove with a hole in its top for this glue pot, and the water seemed to explode it and scatter the glue and fire together. The place was at once full of fire and smoke, and I got out as best I could." Mr. Kittermaster being called on, said:

"There were five of us in the room, Mr. Kitchener, Charley Stoll, an old Swede named Berg, a young Swede from New York and myself. At the first alarm I was about forty feet away with my back toward the stove. As I turned to look back it was blazing right up, and I saw Berg seize a pail of water to throw upon it, but the ignorant Swede seemed excited and danced about with the pail before he dashed the water. I rushed to a corner to get my coat, intending to throw it over the burning glue and keep the air out; but the instant water touched the material everything in the shop was in a blaze and the smoke was so dense that I had difficulty to get out."

Berg, the unconscious incendiary, is yet in this city, looking about for work, but his former employers do not want one who caused their misfortune and that of so many others.

For the Warm Weather

A number of family, hotel, and counter Refrigerators just received at McLennan & McFeely's, 70 Yates street. "tf

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

GENERAL DISPATCHES.

A Daughter of Mr. Justice Taschereau Elopes—An Important Witness.

The Situation at Johnstown—Action for Damages—An Editorial Duel.

By Postal Telegraph)

Johnstown, June 22.—The Red Cross Hospital reports two cases of blood poisoning and two of typhoid fever. A meeting of local physicians, at which they compared notes as to the number of lives lost in the flood, all agreed the dead numbered at least 10,000. This judgment is accepted with confidence.

THE CRONIN CASE.

Chicago, June 22.—An important witness was to-day found in the Cronin case—Geo. E. Brooks, a news agent, who says that on the night of May 4th he was driving near Lake View with his sweetheart, and he saw three men loading a trunk into a wagon at the Carlson cottage, and half an hour later he saw the same men dumping the contents of the trunk into the catch basin. His silence, he says, has been caused by fear of violence from the conspirators.

THE GREAT TORONTO LOAN.

London, June 22.—The negotiations for the Toronto loan are now complete. To-day the Bank of Montreal invites tenders at a minimum price of 96 per cent. for £686,500 sterling forty year bonds, bearing 3½ per cent. interest. The prospectus will include a very terse and clear statement signed by Mayor Clarke and the Treasurer, setting forth the population and wealth of the city. The tenders will be opened next Thursday. At present the outlook in the money market is favorable for the issue which is almost certain to be a success. The security offered is admitted, in the city, to be excellent. The prospectus will call special attention to the fact that the revenues of the city, irrespective of taxation, are more than enough to pay the interest on the entire funded debt. The minimum price fixed is fair in proportion to the current quotations for Toronto four and Montreal threes.

WON'T BE BLUFFED.

London, June 22—Advices from Auckland state that Lieut. Thurston is making an investigation at Apia into the charges made by Germany against the British Consul at Apia that he assisted Mataafa.

SAILOR TROUBLES.

Liverpool, June 22—Ship owners here are now having little or no difficulty in obtaining full crews at old rates. A fireman on the S. S. Umbria cut his throat on the ship's deck this morning and then jumped into the river to avoid being seized by his shipmates who ran towards him. The body has not been recovered.

TWO EDITORS FATAL DUEL.

New Orleans, La., June 22—O. Fecquet and A. T. Noquin, editors of the *Comet* and *Sentinel*, rival papers in Thibodeaux, had a shooting affray to-day in front of St. Joseph's College, Thibodeaux. Noquin was shot in the body dying from the wound in less than an hour, while Fecquet was wounded in the head, but not dangerously. The difficulty arose from a newspaper controversy. The *Sentinel* accused Fecquet of getting drunk at a picnic. Fecquet demanded an apology which was refused and the editors met with the result stated.

COLORED PRIESTS.

Baltimore, Md., June 22—The first step taken by the Catholic Church of this country toward elevating the colored men to the priesthood for missionary work among their own race, was the admission to-day of Charles Randolph Uncles to the lower ecclesiastical orders, preparatory to entering the priesthood.

NO AGREEMENT AS TO BEHRING SEA.

New York, June 21.—A Washington special says: Walker Blaine in response to an inquiry as to the accuracy of the report from Montreal that an agreement had been reached between Great Britain and the United States that no vessel shall be seized this year in Behring Sea, said: "I know of nothing relating to the subject outside of the public proclamation of the President, which has already been printed, nor do I know of any intention to call, as suggested, an international congress for the purpose of taking steps to unify to protect the seal fur fisheries there.

PARNELL LIBEL SUIT.

London, June 20.—Parnell's appeal against the postponement of his libel suit against the *Times* was dismissed with costs. The court decided that the delay of the trial had not damaged Parnell's character, the *Times* having admitted the libel and paid the money into court.

NORTHERN PACIFIC TO WITHDRAW.

Ottawa, June 20—It is announced here that the Northern Pacific will withdraw from its connection in the Canadian North West in a few months. It is stated that this withdrawal from competition with the Canadian Pacific is the result of the latter company having made certain concessions to the Northern Pacific on the Pacific Coast, on the withdrawal of certain competition for carrying trade east from Tacoma and Seattle.

FRISCO'S GENEROSITY.

San Francisco, June 22.—The following telegram was sent this morning to Judge J. R. Lewis, of the Seattle relief fund committee: "Have sent you another $5000 to day. (Signed,) Louis Sloss." This makes altogether $20,000 which have been sent to the relief of Seattle.

TO SUE THE CLUB.

Johnstown, Jun 22.—A number of the sufferers by the flood have combined to retain counsel to bring action against the South Fork Fishing Club, the owners of the fatal dam.

MRS. HAYES SINKING.

Fremont, Ohio, June 22—The condition of Mrs. ex President Hayes shows no improvement to-day, and no hope is entertained of her recovery.

BUILDING COLLAPSES.

Boston, June 22—A three-storey wooden tenement building on the corner of West Seventh and O streets fell in this forenoon. An old woman was killed outright and it is reported several persons were injured. The firemen and police are at work on the ruins.

GOT SIX YEARS.

Pittsburg, June 22—Ex-cashier Voight, of the wrecked Farmers and Mechanics South Side Bank this morning was sentenced to six years in the penitentiary. Friday last night Voight entered a plea of *nolle contendere* on the charge of embezzling $150,000 of the bank's funds.

ANOTHER BIG BLAZE.

Portland, Ore., June 22.—A fire at Vancouver, Wash. Ter., completely destroyed twenty-five buildings early this morning. Total loss is about $75,000; small insurance. The fire was the work of an incendiary. It is now under control.

ELOPEMENT IN HIGH LIFE.

Ottawa, Ont., June 22—Cardinal Taschereau's niece, Miss Josephine Taschereau, daughter of the Supreme Court judge, has eloped with and married a young British civil engineer. The marriage occurred at the Episcopal church at Gananoque, the young man refusing to become a Catholic.

SPOKANE AGAIN.

Chicago, June 22—Spokane, winner of the Kentucky Derby, won the American Derby here to-day.

SHIPWRECK.

Brisbane, June 22—The Queensland-American bark, Bracq, Captain Edgett, from Newcastle, N. S. W., for Hongkong, was wrecked nine hundred miles from Sandy Cape. A part of the crew were saved; the remainder are missing.

POOR SIMON.

Lancaster, Pa., June 22—At noon today Simon Cameron had partially recovered consciousness and seems to recognize his attendants but cannot speak.

NO CHANGE.

Lancaster, Pa., June 22—Simon Cameron's condition was unchanged to-day.

DENY IT.

London, June 22—The statement that a compromise had been arranged between Lord Durham and Sir George Chetwynd, in the matter of the turf scandal involving those gentlemen, is denied by friends of both parties.

MINE HORROR.

Sydney, Australia, June 22—By the caving in of a mine at Newcastle seventy miners have been entombed. Every effort is being made to rescue them, but it is doubtful if their lives can be saved.

BAY CITY NOTES.

San Francisco, June 22.—The French man-of-war Duquesne arrived this morning and will leave in a few days for France.

The arraignment of Michael Hawkens for the attempted assassination of Mrs. Peter Donahue, the widow of the deceased capitalist, was postponed this morning until next Saturday.

United States Justice Field, when asked this morning by a postal press reporter what he thought of the references made by the daily papers here as to the feeling of ex-Judge Terry toward him, replied that no time since the disturbance in the Circuit Court last summer has his course been affected by it, and will not be in the future. He will hold court as usual on the coast without fear of personal violence.

Mr. Chisholm hasRecovered.

An Ottawa dispatch of Monday says Mr. Chisholm, M. P., for New Westminster, B. C., who has been an inmate of the general hospital here through ill-health for over two months, has so far recovered as to be able to leave for home to-night. Miss Chisholm, his niece, who nursed him during his severe illness, and to whose ministering care his restoration to health is greatly due, accompanies him. Mr. and Miss Chisholm will remain over at Calgary for a few days on their way to the Pacific coast.

Coal Find.

Mr. B. H. Wake, who for years has been an enterprising settler on Valdez Island, a few days ago recovered an outcrop of coal on his land just at high water, says the *Free Press*. The ledge is situated on the gulf side of the island, and the coal found is similar in appearance to that found throughout this section of Nanaimo District. The outcrop is a thin one but can be traced for some distance, and is pitching towards the gulf. Mr. Wake is the lucky owner of 360 acres of land, and is consequently jubilant over the recent find, for it no doubt is an indication that coal exists under his land. Valdez Island is the next island south of Gabriola Island, and separated only by the narrow channel known as Gabriola Pass.

Comox.

At the annual meetings for the election of trustees, held on Monday, the following were elected: South Comox School—J. McPhee in place of W. Robb, retired. North Comox—S. Piercy in place of J. Berkley. Courtney School—Matthew Piercy in place of Henry Grieves.

Owing to the increase in the number of scholars at South Comox, the building will be enlarged and an increase of teachers' salary will be applied for. At North Comox and Courtenay, Mr. Mundie and Miss Halliday have resigned as teachers.

D. Pottinger clerk for J. McPhee, was thrown from a wagon while on his way to the Union Mines with a load of groceries, and the wheels passed over his legs but without very seriously injuring him. He is now anathematizing the government for permitting the roads to get in such a condition that it is dangerous to life to pass over them.

The Canadian Yellowstone.

Just 500 miles northwest from Yellowstone Park, writes Eli Perkins, is the Canadian National Park. The Canadian Pacific leaves the fertile plains of the Saskatchewan beyond Calgary, the Denver of the C. P. R., and plunges into the Rockies at Banff. Banff was named after Lord Banff and is the most beautiful spot on earth. It is in the centre of the Rockies, surrounded by gigantic mountains, freezing glaciers, boiling springs, extinct volcanoes and mountain lakes filled with trout. It was there that Dr. Webb of the Vanderbilt party stopped his special car, scrambled over the rocks and snowy peaks to Devil Lake and caught a spotted mountain trout weighing 14 pounds. It is here that the famous Bow River, three hundred feet wide, filled with cold sparkling water from the glaciers, darts 70 feet over the rocks. Near the falls are great caverns, sulphur springs, a sanitarium and the famous Banff Hotel, as large as the Kasteenhall House and as beautiful as Long Beach. It is here that the bridal parties flock from Canada and Vancouver. It is as good as being married yourself to ride to Banff in a car full of Canadian brides. Yesterday, after admiring the mountain peaks, crystal streams, boiling springs and pretty Canadian brides at Banff, we put our string of trout into the baggage car and took the train for the east. I sat down in a seat with a fresh young groom from Winnipeg. His lovely young Manitoba wife was sitting alone at another window, her big eyes fairly hanging out with the double delight of being married, and seeing Banff all in the same day. As Ded Eastey, the conductor, was collecting fares he came to the young bride, and being tired of waiting, actually forgot to touch his hat and say "beg pardon Miss," before collecting his fare, but repeated mechanically the old refrain:

"Miss, your fare!"

The young bride was too busy looking at the majestic Glacier to hear him when the conductor repeated again:

"I say, Miss, your fare!"

"Sir!" exclaimed the bride, turning somewhat confused.

"I say, your fare!"

"Well that's what Charley says," said the sweet young bride blushing crimson, "but now I'm married I don't think I ought to allow a stranger to——

"O! I mean your ticket," interrupted the conductor, more confused than the young bride. "You see the fact is," said Ded, "I am half a second behind time, and that is so unusual on my run that I forgot myself."

Then the train dropped down into the village of Mediciloo Hat so promptly that as usual the mayor and common council came down to see the brides and set their watches by the train.—Eli Perkins in N. Y. World.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

TO THE TIMES ONLY.

The Atlantic Fisheries Negotiations to be Re-Opened—Burke the Man.

The First Lady Medical Practitioner in Quebec—A Villainous Sentence.

Special to THE TIMES.)

Winnipeg, June 22.—Meiklejohn, the Chicago expressman, arrived yesterday and recognized Burke as the man wanted for the Cronin murder. Burke has been remanded till Wednesday.

EXCURSIONISTS COMING.

A special train with Ontario excursionists left for the west at 6 o'clock last night.

THE ATLANTIC FISHERIES.

Ottawa, June 22.—It is understood that preliminary and unofficial correspondence, started some time ago, will shortly result in reopening negotiations for the settlement of the Atlantic fishery question.

THE FIRST DOCTRESS.

Montreal, June 22.—Miss Elizabeth Mitchell, daughter of Alexander Mitchell, produce merchant, of this city, has begun the practice of medicine. Miss Mitchell is the first lady who has practiced the profession of medicine in Lower Canada.

FOURTEEN YEARS.

John Hennessy, clerk, belonging to a good family here, who was found guilty of rape upon a little girl of thirteen years of age, was sentenced to fourteen years.

ASSEMBLY CLOSED.

Toronto, June 22.—The General Presbyterian Assembly closed last night.

COAL DEALERS' ASSOCIATION.

Measures to Purify the Trade—A $2 Margin Allowed to Retailers.

San Francisco, June 22.—A coal dealers association, of California, has just been organized here. Its object is to afford better protection to the dealer and consumer, and to remove all temptations to resort to improper methods to make profit. The association price for coal will be two dollars advance on the scale, fixing the retail price of coal at $11. Each member signs an agreement not to make the margin less than two dollars a ton, and no coal will be sold to dealers not signing the agreement.

CANADIAN NEWS.

AGAIN THE ACT.

The council of the diocese of Algoma, Ont., to-day adopted a petition to His Excellency praying him to disallow the Jesuits' Estate Act.

LIBERAL NOMINATION.

A. S Allen, of Clifford, has been nominated by the Reformers of West Wellington, Ont, to run for the local.

THE P. E. I. GOVERNORSHIP.

Senator Carvell's name is mentioned in connection with the Lieutenant-Governorship of Prince Edward Island, vice the Hon. A. A. Macdonald, whose term of office has already expired.

USED A KNIFE.

During an altercation between two farmers named Thos. Grills and William Barry, near Dunville, Ont., to-day, they clinched and Grills stabbed Barry twice in the neck. The cuts are serious but not considered fatal.

CLERGYMEN DISSATISFIED.

At the Toronto Methodist Conference on Monday there was considerable discussion on the questions of poor salaries and of dissatisfaction with the present system of stationing ministers, and a resolution to appoint a committee to investigate these subjects during the conference year was submitted, but not tabled.

ATTEMPT TO COMMIT SUICIDE.

E. O. Corson Shoots Himself—Mrs. Corson Gets a Divorce.

For some years past a man named E. O. Corson was employed as foreman in W. Heathorn's boot and shoe manufactory in this city and removed to Portland with his wife after the business was purchased by the Ames Holden Company. Since they left this city the Corsons were not agreeing as a man and wife should, and the result was an application for a divorce, which was filed in the court at Portland by Mrs Amanda Corson on the grounds of unnatural treatment. The husband became very morose when he was served with the complaint and made an attempt to take his life by shooting himself. The bullet passed through his right lung and was extracted by Dr. Rinehart. An incision was made in the back about six inches above the right hip and the bullet was found two inches below the point where it first lodged. The doctor states that every symptom for his recovery is hopeful.

Mr. Corson was seen at the hospital by a reporter from the *Oregonian*. He was apparently resting very comfortably.

"No, sir," he said, "I will not fight the divorce case. I will not place my life in jeopardy by going into court and allowing myself to get excited and commit some rash act. Let the court take the testimony and grant the decree. My heart is dead as far as she is concerned, though it has died hard.

"I have revoked my will in which I decided all my property over to her, and have made another one. When I get through here I shall go away from these associates and try to forget that ever I was attached to her."

Mr. Corson spoke with deep feeling. He has resigned himself to his fate, and deadened his heart as far as his relations with his wife are concerned. Of the treatment of physicians and attendants at the hospital he spoke in the highest terms, saying that as long as he lived their kindness would never be forgotten. Regarding the divorce, the *Oregonian* of Friday says: "The suit for a divorce of Amanda F. Corson vs. E. O. Corson came up before Judge Stearns late yesterday afternoon. Notice of the decree nisi appeared and withdrew his answer to the complaint and a default was taken against him. The Corsons were married at Lynn, Mass., in 1866, and have lived in Oregon for the past eighteen years. During the past two years they have not lived together as man and wife, owing, as the ex-wife alleged to his unnatural treatment of her. A decree of divorce was granted."

Victoria-Portland Route.

The O. R. & N. Company intend placing another steamship on the route between Victoria and Portland. The steamer City of Topeka will leave Portland on the 27th inst. for this city and under a new schedule one of the steamers will leave Portland every five days. Mr. Cooper, agent for the O. R. & N. Company in this city, was notified of the intended change on Friday. The trade between the two ports is increasing rapidly and if it continues there is a prospect of the placing of another freight carrier on the route.

Arrived.

Ease XXXX Ale (I am's Wee) at the Occidental Hotel bar.

GLADSTONE IN PERIL

Owing to Enthusiasm of Friends—John Bright's Life.

Mr. Gladstone's life was in imminent peril, owing to the immense crush at Redruth, Cornwall. The enthusiasm was enormous and personal. Mr. Gladstone condemned the life leases in vogue in the Cornish mines. A number of maidens presented Mrs. Gladstone with a gigantic bouquet as the party drove into the town, which was decorated with flags, and a triumphal arch had been erected. Miners flocked from the environs and formed a bodyguard to Mr. Gladstone. Nearly 30,000 persons assembled, and, owing to the enthusiasm which prevailed, Mr. Gladstone had great difficulty in obtaining a hearing. He dealt with the local landlord and tenant question, and with the evils of Irish coercion.

Gladstone continued his tour, delivering speeches at Truro, St. Austell, and Bodmin. He received ovations everywhere.

The voluminous and interesting papers left by the late John Bright will not be published for the present. Mr. Bright's sons came to this conclusion after an examination of their contents. As in the case of Lord Beaconsfield's papers, it is felt inconvenience might arise if publication were to take place during the lifetime of Her Majesty or Mr. Gladstone.

PERSONAL.

Items Telling of Movements of Well Known Persons.

Francis Bourchier returned from the Springs last evening.

Bishop Sillitoe and Mrs. Sillitoe, of the Royal City, are in the city.

L. Oppenheimer and Ald. Horne, of Vancouver, are visiting brethren of the Masonic order now in the city.

W. Norman Bole, M. P. P., arrived down from the mainland last evening.

Mrs L. M. Starr has arrived in Seattle from Oakland to see about rebuilding her property destroyed by fire.

Edgar W. Nye commonly called "Bill," has left for Paris from where he will write letters from the Exposition to the New York *World* and San Francisco *Examiner*.

F. W. Hart, a popular resident of Vancouver, was united in marriage on Thursday with Miss Josephine Crawford, of Palermo, Halton county, Ontario. They are now making an extended honeymoon tour.

Col. Chas. F. Crocker, Vice-President of the S. P. R. R; Geo. Crocker, H. E. Scott, Treasurer of the S.P.R.R.; R.J. Wilson and W. E. Brown comprise a railway party that arrived last night from San Francisco. Accompanied by the Messrs. Dunsmuir they will inspect coal and railway properties on the east coast on Monday.

John McAllister, Vancouver, and T. E. Ladner, Ladner's Landing, are at the Driard.

W. McGregor, Vancouver Coal Company, Nanaimo, is in the city.

A. H. B. Macgowan, secretary Vancouver Board of Trade, is in the city.

S. T. McIntosh, real estate agent, New Westminster, came down on the Islander last evening.

W. Downie, assistant superintendent of the Pacific division, C. P. R. company and L. R. Johnson, master mechanic, came down last evening to attend the Masonic meeting. Also J. B. Johnston and J. Hamilton of Donald.

J. S. Cinte, Thos. Mowat, J. A. Leidlaw, W. A. Duncan, Ben Douglas, John Buie, and Henry Hoy, of New Westminster came down last evening to attend the Masonic Grand Lodge. Drs. S. Clarke, M. D., Tunstall and Fred H. Robson, Kamloops, are in the city for the same purpose.

Mr. Brereton, the mining expert, will occupy Mr. Pooley's house on the Esquimalt road, Mr. Pooley's family being at present in England. Mr. Brereton has been commissioned by the Rothschilds to investigate the mineral resources of Alaska and British Columbia, and will probably remain on the coast about a year, making Victoria his headquarters.

Geo. Thompson, M. P. P., Nanaimo, came down on to-day's train.

C. C. McKenzie, ex superintendent of education, was a passenger from Nanaimo to-day.

A. E. Lees, W. M.; Geo. Thomson, S. W.; Geo. Bevilockway, J. W.; A. Hasson, W. Stewart, R. Craig, J. Frames, M. Wolfe, M. Bate, J. M. Brown and Dr. L. T. Davies are Nanaimo Masons in the city to attend the Grand Lodge meeting.

W. C. Halleck, of Halleck & Howe, proprietors of the Central Hotel, Nanaimo, is in the city. Mr. Halleck will leave to-morrow for San Diego to bring up his wife and family.

PROVINCIAL "PUBLIC ACCOUNTS" YCLEPT.

To the Editor of The Times:

Sir,—"Voter" asks have I made an error in giving a public employe's transit to Westminster at $29.25, exclusive of "allowance?" If "Voter" will refer to page 26 of that lucid and remarkable volume designated "Provincial Public Accounts," which seems partly a kind of medical work on the art of bleeding the vile body politic, he will see I quoted the amount correctly, at least as there given. As to an "explanation" of the "fares," the Provincial Secretary, as the "officer on duty," can alone give that, it being a matter otherwise that no fella can make out. But could not "Voter" assume it to be within the limits of possibility that the Sailing Company, as general carriers, have certain common law rights, and may thereunder make *ad valorem* charges for carrying an "officer on duty," or even take him across gratis for the sake alone of his edifying example and good manners; and so as an itinerant illustration for Smiles' next edition of "Self Help," further showing what pure politics when properly worked can do for a man, and how he may withstand the inflation unscathed. Otherwise, I am unable even to suggest any explanation of this charge on public moneys, being apparently another fiscal conundrum supplied by the present political regime for taxpayers and voters of the province.

OVERTAXED ORPHAN.

Opium Smuggling.

James Jamieson has been caught in Tacoma endeavoring to smuggle opium into the United States. Jamieson said he had belonged to the crew of a sealing vessel, which was wrecked off the coast of Alaska not long ago. He made his way to Victoria and purchased the opium and a ticket to Portland with the money he had—$7 per pound, or $140 for the opium, and $12 for the ticket. He had expected to make a little stake out of the opium, having lost considerable by the shipwreck. The opium smuggler made a sweeping statement as to the extent of the smuggling operations being carried on in Victoria. He could not furnish the necessary $250 bail, and was turned over to Sheriff Price.

Inspector E. Materson secured thirty pounds on the steamer North Pacific. It was tied up in a large package, and not being found in anyone's possession, the party who carried the opium aboard the steamer is not known.

Nuggets at Downieville.

A short time ago miners working in the Sunnyside claim near Downieville, Sierra county, Cal, took out four large gold nuggets. The largest weighs 161 ounces, and is worth $2,200. In shape and size it resembles a small cobblestone. The other three nuggets weigh seventy to eighty ounces each, and are worth nearly $6000.

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ALEXANDER SULLIVAN.

Mr. ALEXANDER SULLIVAN, now being held in Chicago for complicity in the murder of Dr. CRONIN, was born at Amherstburg, Canada, of poor but honest parents, his father being a sergeant in a regiment known as the Royal Canadian Rifles. At an early age he migrated to Detroit, and first came into notice as the keeper of a small boot and shoe store, which was burned under suspicious circumstances. SULLIVAN in fact was arrested for arson, and only escaped by proving an alibi by the help of his sweetheart and the friendship of the police magistrate, who was a republican politician. Next SULLIVAN went to New York, where he interested himself in temperance reform, and offered himself as a speaker. He had made up his mind to enter public life, and took this opportunity to prepare himself for the platform. In 1869 SULLIVAN was appointed collector of internal revenue for New Mexico through the influence of Senator FERRY, and subsequently escaped prosecution for defalcation through the friendly offices of STEPHEN ELKINS. It was during his stay in Mexico that SULLIVAN shot Judge HOUGH. Dismissed from the collectorship of internal revenue, he succeeded in getting the appointment of postmaster of Santa Fe, but in less than a year he got into financial difficulties, and had to fly the territory. In Chicago, where he settled next, he secured a position on the staff of the Chicago Tribune. Working hard in political circles, he received the appointment of Secretary to the Board of Public Works. Next he went into bankruptcy, and later he murdered a Mr. HANFORD, obtaining an acquittal on a technicality. SULLIVAN'S next move was to identify himself with the Irish opposition to GROVER CLEVELAND, and in a meeting which was held one night just previous to the CLEVELAND convention SULLIVAN managed to persuade PRENDERGAST to propose him for Vice-President on the ticket with CLEVELAND, the former promising through his influence with the Clan-Na-Gael to make the Irish solid for the democracy. Although PAT EGAN endorsed this bargain, the others would not have it, and so after the nomination of CLEVELAND, SULLIVAN supported BLAINE. In an interview at Deer Park, at which BLAINE, ELKINS and other prominent Republicans were present, it was arranged practically, that SULLIVAN was to manage the Clan-na-Gael in Republican interests, his reward to be, in case BLAINE was elected, the Secretaryship of the Interior. BLAINE'S defeat of course broke up this little programme, and SULLIVAN since has been posing as an Irish patriot. It will be seen from the foregoing that SULLIVAN has narrowly missed greatness, and that disreputable as his life has been, a one constant commission of crime, he has associated with the biggest toads in the puddle. It is also quite clear, besides, that he is fully capable of conniving at murder, and that without doubt he is largely responsible for the "removal" of Dr. CRONIN. We find in the career of the man material for the heavy villain in the dime novel. A novel written on the basis of SULLIVAN'S career would be regarded sheer imagination. Neither the United States nor the Irish cause has any use for Mr. SULLIVAN, and unless he proves himself innocent of the crime laid to him, he should be hanged with promptness and dispatch.

O'DONOVAN ROSSA.

Anent the SULLIVAN denouement, another bogus Irish patriot is in a bad way O'DONOVAN ROSSA, who for several years past has been posing as the Irish JOVE, holding a dynamite shell aloft instead of a bundle of thunderbolts. It seems incredible that a man with such a name as he and interested in the removal of Ireland's grievances should be such an unmitigated scoundrel. JUDAS was an angel beside him, and BENEDICT ARNOLD a patriot of the first water. And yet, Mr. O'DONOVAN ROSSA, his soul reeking with treachery his with the singular fatuity peculiar to a certain class of criminals, sued one CASSIDY, an editor, for libel. The evidence adduced by the defence (it seems the defence in New York is permitted to defend itself) was to the effect that ROSSA had misappropriated funds intrusted to his care to be distributed among the indigent families of certain Irishmen who had been sentenced to penal servitude. "DICK" SHORT swore that ROSSA had cheated him out of $250, and JOHN MURPHY, Treasurer of the Fenian Brotherhood, also swore that ROSSA was $900 behind with that organization. In regard to $1500 which ROSSA received from PAT FORD for the families of prisoners in English jails, it was proved that he, ROSSA, had only distributed $500 of it. Further, editor CASSIDY testified that a prominent member of parliament had stated in the House of Commons that ROSSA was in receipt of secret service money, and he objected to voting away the money of the taxpayers of England to go into the pockets of ROSSA. In corroboration of this CASSIDY produced a letter from HENRY LABOUCHERE to the following effect:

I think you will find these facts correct: July 21, 1883, Rossa or some one else shot at James McDermott. The same day a check for $25; drawer of check, James McDermott; name of bank, Fulton Bank, of Brooklyn, N. Y. If you refer to subsequent New York papers you will find that Rossa admitted that he knew McDermott was an informer. If you refer to Rossa's paper you will find that the check was not acknowledged. You will also find at the bank that Rossa cashed the check. As a matter of fact you can assert that the money was received two days before from the British Vice-Consul by an agent of the British Government and handed to McDermott by Rossa.

"The mills of the gods grind slowly, but they grind exceedingly fine," and ROSSA, between his stealings from Irish widows and his betrayal of the Irish cause, is being pulverized into nothingness. These revelations are not very palatable reading for honest Irishmen, but let them thank God they have come as soon as they have, and let us hope that they will not stultify themselves by any endeavor to exonerate or condone the offences of so polished a scoundrel as O'DONOVAN ROSSA.

ENGLISH REPORTERS.

Concerning the status of the "wretched reporter" in England BLAKELY HALL says:

"That no writer of education or ability is employed to devote his abilities to gathering news. Every writer of this kind is engaged in producing leaders and special articles. Many of the most distinguished literary men in England have been engaged in newspaper work at times, but never in news gathering. The reporter (the mere news gatherer) is the least educated and least considered man on the editorial staff of an English paper. His employers never require of him any evidence of literary ability, and he very seldom developes any. Hence, in England, events of the greatest interest are invariably written about in the most bald and hackneyed fashion. The British reporter is able to associate on terms of natural and easy familiarity with a policeman, a flunkey, or a servant. It is in dealing with these people that he meets with most success in his quest for news. But when he wishes to interview any one of a more exalted station, his appearance, manner, and breath, laden with the odors of frequent and varied drinks, damn him at the start. If any one thinks it is snobbery on the part of Englishmen of position to show such scant courtesy to reporters, let him make a personal acquaintance with some of these latter. If he walks down Fleet Street, which is the native heath of British journalism, he will probably observe a small, dirty, but locally famous, public-house, called 'The Cheshire Cheese.' Standing in front of it he will see a fat, drink-sodden man, of about forty. That was my experience. I had previously met the drink-sodden one in a business way, and knew him to be a reporter of the London *Standard*. He invited me to come and purchase for him a drink, which I did. He was one of the dirtiest and shabbiest men I had ever seen. His clothes were unbrushed and ragged, his linen dirty, his boots uncleaned, and his hat battered. There were a number of other reporters inside 'The Cheshire Cheese,' whose appearance differed in detail but not essentially from that of my acquaintance. Among the English middle classes it is a standing reproach to be a newspaper-man, and this sentiment is not unnatural, seeing that the only kind of a newspaper-man they meet is of the British reporter type."

Is it possible that Judge BEGBIE confounds the British Columbia reporter with his English prototype?

REACTION IN JAPAN.

Since our leading subjects to-day are of a gloomy, reactionary character, we may as well fill up the remainder of our space with a kindred topic, with this difference, that the reader will be required to follow us to Japan. In Japan it is alleged there is a reaction going on against the American customs which the government undertook to introduce a few years ago. After what has just been related of murderers and traitors, and what with other things, we might rehearse in the shape of Plutocracy, Jesuit's Estates, Land Exchange and divers other features of a reactionary character; it is not so certain that we are justified in taking a lugubrious view of Japanese retrogressiveness. It is now only some seven or eight years since the leading classes of Japan, with the Emperor at their head, were seized with an idea of assimilating their institutions and their habits with those of this country and the nations of Europe, and abolishing the ancient usages of the empire. They proposed a system of representative government; they demanded freedom of the press; they talked of embracing the Christian religion; they declared that they would adopt American dress. It struck outsiders as rather a comprehensive scheme of assimilation; but people looked on and awaited results. It appears, however, that so soon as this innovation began to materialize the Buddhist priests became alarmed and organized a counter movement, and the court had to declare that it had no idea of changing its faith nor the fashions in dress. But this is not the worst phase of the matter, at least to practical minds. The constitution of Japan, which was supposed to be modelled on the liberal principles of England and the United States, turns out on examination to be an approximation to the autocratic system employed in Germany. After all what else could be expected of Japan? Why should we expect more from that country than we have performed ourselves? Constitutional government in England is the result of centuries of turmoil and blood. Should we, who find it difficult to keep within constitutional limits, look upon the collapse of the radical movement in Japan as wholly reactionary? We have been a thousand years educating ourselves up to a liberal form of government, while so far as religion and mere social matters are concerned we have not yet arrived at any conclusions which may be regarded as final. If in the matter of male and female attire, the swallow tail coat and the bustle, we are still unsettled, how shall we expect the Japanese to accept them as the *ultima thule* of exterior adornment. But to revert to the Japanese constitution which we have said was an approximation to the autocratic idea, none but a wild enthusiast could have expected anything better. It is presumptious to say that only one race enjoys a capacity for self government, but certain it is that none but the Anglo-Saxon make a success of the business. A liberal constitution in Japan would unquestionably lead to confusion and possibly anarchy. If we compare Japan to ourselves we shall find that she has made more progress in seven years, than we in any single century from the Magna Charta downward, with the exception perhaps of the 19th century. The reaction in Japan is the natural consequence of going too fast.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Eli Perkins drew a very small sized audience when here but he belied his nickname and told the truth excepting as to population about a city. We now look to the Vancouver World to supply the deficiency.

Speaking of the Johnstown calamity, a writer is reminded of one reservoir calamity, that at Sheffield, Eng., has been made famous by Charles Reade in "Put Yourself in his Place." On March 11, 1864, the embankment of Bradfield reservoir gave way and flooded Sheffield and the country for twelve or fourteen miles around. About 250 lives were lost and property valued at over $1,600,000.

The calamity which befel Johnstown has awakened other localities to a nervous sensitiveness which is anything but pleasant; and the people in those localities, such as the Deerfield Valley of Vermont, are not at all to be envied. The inhabitants of Shelburn Falls are particularly anxious just now, because their situation is even more precarious than was thrifty Johnstown before the deluge. Up the Deerfield, at an elevation of 900 feet is Sedawga lake, covering an area of 640 acres and containing over 8,000,000,000 gallons of water. A narrow and rotten dam holds this mighty reservoir from dashing down the valley and overwhelming villages and farms in one common ruin. What makes the danger imminent is the fact that the old dam is leaky and it was only three days ago that a very large leak in it was stopped. There should be no hesitation in this matter. The pent-up waters should be allowed to flow out and the unsafe dam removed. No patching up should be for a moment contemplated, for the country does not wish for a repetition of the Johnstown horror. One such terrible disaster is enough for a century of generations.

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J. ROLAND HETT,
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Victoria, June 7th, 1889.

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Victoria, May 6th 1889.

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ROBERT LEATHERDALE.
JOSEPH H. GIRL.
WM. ROGERS.
April 24th, 1889.

WE, the undersigned, hereby give notice that 30 days after date we intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a license to purchase 640 acres of land situated on Sidney Island, Gulf of Georgia, described as follows: Commencing at a stake planted at West Entrance, Bazett Harbor, west side Vancouver Island; thence running east 80 chains; thence south along beach to stake No. 2; thence west 80 chains to stake No. 3; thence north 80 chains to stake No. 4; thence east 80 chains to point of commencement.
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THEIR WAY IS LOST.

SERMON PREACHED BY REV. T. DE WITT TALMAGE, SUNDAY, JUNE 16.

The Story of Hagar and Ishmael in the Desert—Our Duty Is to Look for Our Own Sphere in Life and Then to Keep to It.

BROOKLYN, June 16.—The Rev. T. De Witt Talmage, D. D., preached at the Tabernacle today. A vast congregation filled the spacious building to overflowing. After making an exposition of Scripture, the pastor gave out the hymn beginning:

Glory to God on high,
Let heaven and earth reply,

which the great body of worshipers sang with majestic effect. The subject of Dr. Talmage's discourse was: "People Who Have Lost Their Way." He took for his text: "And God opened her eyes, and she saw a well of water: and she went, and filled the bottle with water, and gave the lad drink."—Gen. xxi, 19. The eloquent preacher said:

Morning breaks upon Beer-sheba. There is an early stir in the house of old Abraham. There has been trouble among the domestics. Hagar, an assistant in the household, and her son, a brisk lad of sixteen years, have become impudent and insolent, and Sarah, the mistress of the household, puts her foot down very hard, and says that they will have to leave the premises. They are packing up now. Abraham, knowing that the journey before his servant and her son will be very long and across desolate places, in the kindness of his heart sets about putting up some bread and a bottle with water in it. It is a very plain lunch that Abraham provides, but I warrant you there would have been enough of it had they not lost their way. "God be with you!" said old Abraham as he gave the lunch to Hagar, and a good many charges as to how she should conduct the journey. Ishmael, the boy, I suppose bounded away in the morning light. Boys always like a change. Poor Ishmael! He has no idea of the disasters that are ahead of him. Hagar gives one long, lingering look on the familiar place where she had spent so many happy days, each scene associated with the pride and joy of her heart, young Ishmael.

THE DEVOTION OF THE MOTHER.

The scorching noon comes on. The air is stifling, and moves across the desert with insufferable suffocation. Ishmael, the boy, begins to complain, and lies down, but Hagar rouses him up, saying nothing about her own weariness or the sweltering heat; for mothers can endure anything. Trudge—trudge—trudge. Crossing the dead level of the desert, how wearily and slowly the miles slip. A tamarind that seemed hours ago to stand only just a little ahead, inviting the travelers to come under its shadow, now is as far off as ever, or seemingly so. Night drops upon the desert, and the travelers are pillowless. Ishmael, very weary, I suppose, instantly falls asleep. Hagar—as the shadows of the night begin to lap over each other—Hagar hugs her weary boy to her bosom, and thinks of the fact that it is her fault that they are in the desert. A star looks out, and every falling tear it kisses with a sparkle. A wing of wind comes over the hot earth, and lifts the locks from the fevered brow of the boy. Hagar sleeps fitfully, and in her dreams travels over the weary day, and half awakes her son by crying out in her sleep: "Ishmael! Ishmael!" And so they go on, day after day and night after night, for they have lost their way. No path in the shifting sands; no sign in the burning sky. The sack empty of the flour; the water gone from the bottle. What shall she do? As she puts her fainting Ishmael under a stunted shrub of the arid plain, she sees the bloodshot eye, and feels the hot hand, and watches the blood bursting from the cracked tongue, and there is a shriek in the desert of Beer-sheba: "We shall die! We shall die!" Now, no mother was ever made strong enough to hear her son cry in vain for a drink. Heretofore she had cheered her boy by promising a speedy end of the journey, and even smiled upon him when he felt desperately enough. Now there is nothing to do but place him under a shrub and let him die. She had thought that she would sit there and watch until the spirit of her boy would go away forever, and then she would breathe out her own life on his silent heart; but as the boy begins to claw his tongue in agony of thirst, and struggle in distortion, and beg his mother to slay him, she cannot endure the spectacle. She puts him under a shrub and goes off a bow shot, and begins to weep until all the desert seems sobbing, and her cry strikes clear through the heavens; and an angel of God comes out on a cloud and looks down upon the appalling grief and cries: "Hagar, what aileth thee?" She looks up, and she sees the angel pointing to a well of water, where she fills the bottle for the lad. Thank God! Thank God!

WE MUST KNOW OUR PLACES.

I learn from this Oriental scene, in the first place, what a sad thing it is when people do not know their place, and get too proud for their business. Hagar was an assistant in that household, but she wanted to rule there. She ridiculed and jeered until her son, Ishmael, got the same tricks. She dashed out her own happiness and threw Sarah into a great fret; and if she had stayed much longer in that household she would have upset calm Abraham's equilibrium. My friends, one-half of the trouble in the world today comes from the fact that people do not know their place; or, finding their place, will not stay in it. When we come into the world there is always a place ready for us. A place for Abraham. A place for Sarah. A place for Hagar. A place for Ishmael. A place for you and a place for me. Our first duty is to find our sphere; our second is to keep it. We may be born in a sphere far off from the one for which God finally intends us. Sextus V was born on the low ground, and was a swineherd; God called him up to wave a scepter. Ferguson spent his early days in looking after the sheep; God called him up to look after stars and be a shepherd watching the flocks of light on the hill sides of heaven. Hogarth began by engraving pewter pots; God raised him to stand in the enchanted realm of a painter. The shoemaker's bench held Bloomfield for a little while; but God called him to sit in the chair of a philosopher and Christian scholar. The soap boiler of London could not keep his son in that business, for God had decided that Rawlay was to be one of the greatest astronomers of England. On the other hand, we may be born in a sphere a little higher than that for which God intends us. We may be born in a castle, and play in a costly conservatory, and feed high bred pointers, and angle for gold fish in artificial ponds, and be familiar with princes; yet God may have fitted us for a carpenter's shop, or dentist's forceps or a weaver's shuttle, or a blacksmith's forge. The great thing is to find just the sphere for which God intended us, and then to occupy that sphere and occupy it forever. Here is a man God fashioned to make a plow. There is a man God fashioned to make a constitution. The man who makes the plow is just as honorable as the man who makes the constitution, provided he makes the plow as well as the other man makes the constitution. There is a woman who was made to fashion a robe, and yonder is one intended to be a queen and wear it. It seems to me that in the one case as in the other, God appoints the sphere, and the sphere is just as respectable in his sight as the scepter. I do not know but that the world would long ago have been saved, if some of the men out of the ministry were in it, and some of those who are in it were out of it. I really think that one-half of the world may be divided into two quarters—those who have not found there sphere, and those who, having found it, are not willing to stay there. How many are struggling for a position a little higher than that for which God intended them. The bondswoman wants to be mistress. Hagar keeps crowding Sarah. The small wheel of a watch, which beautifully went treading its golden pathway, wants to be the balance wheel, and the sparrow with chagrin drops into the brook because it cannot, like the eagle, cut a circle under the sun. In the Lord's army we all want to be brigadier generals. The sloop says: "More mast; more tonnage; more canvas. O that I were a topsail schooner, or a full rigged brig, or a Cunard steamer." And so the world is filled with cries of discontent, because we are not willing to stay in the place where God put us and intended us to be. My friends, be not too proud to do anything God tells you to do. For the lack of a right disposition in this respect the world is strewn with wandering Hagars and Ishmaels. God has given each one of us a work to do. You carry a scuttle of coal up that dark alley. You distribute that Christian tract. You give ten thousand dollars to the missionary cause. You for fifteen years sit with chronic rheumatism, displaying the beauty of Christian submission. Whatever God calls you to, whether it win hissing or hosannas, whether to walk under triumphal arch or lift the pot out of the ditch; whether it be to preach on a Pentecost, or tell some wanderer of the street of the mercy of the Christ of Mary Magdalene; whether it be to weave a garland for a laughing child on a spring morning and call her a May queen, or to comb out the tangled locks of a waif of the street, and cut up one of your old dresses to fit her out for the sanctuary—do it, and do it right away. Whether it be a crown or a yoke, do not forget. Everlasting honors upon those who do their work, and do their whole work, and are contented in the sphere in which God has put them; while there is only wandering, and exile, and desolation, and wilderness for discontented Hagar and Ishmael.

SYMPATHY WITH WOMAN.

Again: I find in this Oriental scene a lesson of sympathy with woman when she goes forth trudging in the desert. What a great change it was for this Hagar. There was the tent, and all the surroundings of Abraham's house, beautiful and luxurious no doubt. Now she is going out into the hot sands of the desert. O what a change it was. And in our day we often see the wheel of fortune turn. Here is some one who lived in the very bright home of her father. She had everything possible to administer to her happiness. Plenty at the table. Music in the drawing room. Welcome at the door. She is led forth into life by some one who cannot appreciate her. A dissipated soul comes and takes her out in the desert. Iniquities blot out all the lights of that home circle. Harsh words wear out her spirits. The high hope that shone out over the marriage altar while the ring was being set and the vows given and the benediction pronounced, have all faded with the orange blossoms, and there she is today, broken hearted, thinking of past joy and present desolation and coming anguish. Hagar in the wilderness!

Here is a beautiful home. You cannot think of anything that can be added to it. For years there has not been the suggestion of a single trouble. Bright and happy children fill the house with laughter and song. Books to read, pictures to look at, lounges to rest on. Cup of domestic joy full and running over. Dark night drops. Pillow hot, pulse flutter, eyes close, and the foot whose well known step on the door sill brought the whole household out at eventide, crying: "Father's coming!" will never sound on the door sill again. A long, deep grief plowed through all that lightness of domestic life. Paradise lost! Widowhood! Hagar in the wilderness!

How often it is we see the weak arm of woman conscripted for this battle with the rough world. Who is she, going down the street in the early light of the morning, pale with exhausting work, not half slept out with the slumbers of last night, tragedies of suffering written all over her face, her listless eyes looking far ahead as though for the coming of some other trouble? Her parents called her Mary, or Bertha, or Agnes, on the day when they held her up to the font, and the Christian minister sprinkled on the infant's face the washings of a holy baptism. Her name is changed now. I hear it in the shuffle of the worn out shoes. I see it in the figure of the faded calico. I find it in the lineaments of the woe begone countenance. Not Mary, nor Bertha, nor Agnes, but Hagar in the wilderness. May God have mercy upon woman in her toils, her struggles, her hardships, her desolation, and may the great heart of Divine sympathy incline her forever.

THE TREMENDOUS INFLUENCE OF MOTHERS.

Again: I find in this Oriental scene the fact that every mother leads forth tremendous destinies. You say: "That isn't an unusual scene, a mother leading her child by the hand." Who is it that she is leading? Ishmael, you say. Who is Ishmael? A great nation is to be founded, a nation so strong that it is to stand for thousands of years against all the armies of the world. Egypt and Assyria thunder against it, but in vain. Genius brings up his army, and his army is smitten. Alexander decides upon a campaign, brings up his hosts and dies. For a long while that nation monopolizes the learning of the world. It is the nation of the Arabs. Who founded it? Ishmael, the lad that Hagar led into the wilderness. She had no idea she was leading forth such destinies. Neither does any mother. You pass along the street, and see pass boys and girls who will yet make the earth quake with their influence. Who is that boy at Sutton Pool, Plymouth, England, barefooted, wading down into the slush and slime until his bare foot comes upon a piece of glass, and he lifts it, bleeding and pain struck? That wound in the foot decides that he be sedentary in his life, decides that he be a student. That wound by the glass in the foot decides that he shall be John Kitto, who shall provide the best religious encyclopedia the world has ever had provided, and, with his other writings as well, throwing a light upon the Word of God such as has come from no other man in this century. O mother, mother, that little hand that wanders over your face may yet be lifted to hurl thunderbolts of war or drop benedictions. That little voice may blaspheme God in the grog shop or cry "Forward!" to the Lord's hosts, as they go out for their last victory. My mind today leaps thirty years ahead, and I see a merchant prince of New York. One stroke of his pen brings a ship out of Canton. Another stroke of his pen brings a ship into Madras. He is mighty in all the money markets of the world. Who is he? He sits today beside you in the Tabernacle. My mind leaps thirty years forward from this time, and I find myself in a relief association. A great multitude of Christian women have met together for a generous purpose. There is one woman in that crowd who seems to have the confidence of all the others, and they all look up to her for her counsel and for her prayers. Who is she? Today you will find her in the Sabbath school, while the teacher tells her of that Christ who clothed the naked, and fed the hungry, and healed the sick. My mind leaps forward thirty years from now, and I find myself in an African jungle; and there is a missionary of the cross addressing the natives, and their dusky countenances are irradiated with the glad tidings of great joy and salvation. Who is he? Did you not hear his voice today in the first songs of the service? My mind leaps forward thirty years from now, and I find myself looking through the wickets of a prison. I see a face scarred with every crime. His chin on his open palm, his elbow on his knee—a picture of despair. As I open the wicket he starts, and I hear his chain clank. The jail keeper tells me that he has been in there now three times. First for theft, then for arson, now for murder. He steps upon the trap door, the rope is fastened to his neck, the plank falls, his body swings into the air, his soul swings off into eternity. Who is he, and where is he? Today playing kite on the city common. Mother, you are today hoisting a throne or forging a chain—you are kindling a star or digging a dungeon.

GREAT GROWTH OF SMALL BEGINNINGS.

A good many years ago a Christian mother sat teaching lessons of religion to her child; and he drank in those lessons. She never knew that Lampliter would come forth and establish the Fulton street prayer meeting, and by one meeting revolutionize the devotions of the whole earth, and shed the sweetness with his Christian influence. Lampliter said it was his mother who brought him to Jesus Christ. She never had an idea that she was leading forth such destinies. But O, when I see a mother reckless of her influence, existing in a record destruction, pretended for the sacrifice with unseemly mirth and godlessness, gayly tripping on down to ruin, taking her children in the same direction, I cannot help but say: "There they go—there they go; Hagar and Ishmael!" I tell you there are wider deserts than Beer-sheba in many of the domestic circles of this day. Dissipated parents leading dissipated children. Avaricious parents leading avaricious children. Prayerless parents leading prayerless children. They go through every street, up every dark alley, into every cellar, along every highway. Hagar and Ishmael! And while I pronounce their names it seems like the moaning of the death wind: Hagar and Ishmael!

I learn one more lesson from this Oriental scene, and that is, that every wilderness has a well in it. Hagar and Ishmael gave up to die. Hagar's heart sank within her as she heard her child crying, "Water! Water! Water!" "Ah!" she says, "my darling, there is no water. This is a desert." And then God's angel said from the cloud: "What aileth thee, Hagar?" And she looked up and saw him pointing to a well of water, where she filled the bottle for the lad. Blessed be God that there is in every wilderness a well. If you only know how to find it—fountains for all these thirsty souls today. "On that last day, on that great day of the feast, Jesus stood and cried: If any man thirst, let him come to me and drink." All these other fountains you find are mere mirages of the desert. Purposing, you know, spent the time in trying to find out the elixir of life—a liquid which, if taken, would keep one perpetually young in this world, and would change the aged back again to youth. Of course he was disappointed; he found not the elixir. But here I tell you today of the elixir of everlasting life bursting from the "Rock of Ages," and that drinking that water you shall never get old, and you will never be sick, and you will never die. "Ho, every one that thirsteth, come ye to the waters!" Ah, here is a man who says: "I have been looking for that fountain a great while, but can't find it." And here is some one else who says: "I believe all you say, but I have been trudging along in the wilderness, and can't find the fountain." Do you know the reason? I will tell you. You never looked in the right direction. "O," you say, "I have looked everywhere. I have looked north, south, east and west, and I haven't found the fountain." Why, you are not looking in the right direction at all. Look up, where Hagar looked. She never would have found the fountain at all, but when she heard the voice of the angel she looked up, and she saw the finger pointing to the supply. And, O soul, if today, with one earnest, intense prayer you would only look up to Christ, he would point you down to the supply in the wilderness. "Look unto me all ye ends of the earth, and be ye saved; for I am God, and there is none else." Look! look! as Hagar looked.

EVERY DESERT HAS ITS WELL.

Yes, there is a well for every desert of bereavement. Looking over the audience today I notice signs of mourning. Have you found consolation? O man bereft, O woman bereft, have you found consolation? Hearse after hearse. We step from one grave hillock to another grave hillock. We follow corpses; ourselves soon to be like them. The world is in mourning for its dead. Every heart has become the mausoleum of some buried joy. But sing ye to God, every wilderness has a well in it; and I come to that well today, and I begin to draw water from that well. If you have lived in the country you have sometimes taken hold of the rope of the old well sweep, and you know how the bucket came up dripping with bright, cool water. And I lay hold of the rope of God's mercy today, and I begin to draw on that Gospel well sweep, and I see the buckets coming up. Thirsty soul! here is one bucket of life! Come and drink of it. "Whosoever will, let him come and take of the water of life freely." I pull away again at the rope, and another bucket comes up. It is this promise: "Weeping may endure for a night, but joy cometh in the morning." I lay hold of the rope again, and I pull away with all my strength, and the bucket comes up bright, and beautiful, and cool. Here is the promise: "Come unto me, all ye who are weary and heavy laden, and I will give you rest."

The old astrologers used to cheat the people with the idea that they could tell from the position of the stars what would occur in the future, and if a cluster of stars stood in one relation, that would be a prophecy of evil; if a cluster of stars stood in another relation, that would be a prophecy of good. What superstition! But here is a new astrology in which I put all my faith. By looking up to the Star of Jacob, the morning star of the Redeemer, I can make this prophecy in regard to those who put their trust in God: "All things work together for good to those who love God." I read it out on the sky. I read it out in the Bible. I read it out in all things: "All things work together for good to those who love God." Do you love him? Have you seen the Nyetanthes? It is a beautiful flower, but it gives very little fragrance until after sunset. Then it puts its sweetness on the air. And this grace of the Gospel that I commend to you this day, while it may be very sweet during the day of prosperity, it pours forth its richest aroma after sundown, and it will be sundown with you and me after awhile. When you come to go out of this world, will it be a desert march or will it be a fountain for your soul?

JESUS THE ONLY HOPE.

A Christian Hindoo was dying, and his heathen comrades came around him and tried to comfort him by reading some of the pages of their theology; but he waved his hand as much as to say: "I don't want to hear it." Then they called in a heathen priest, and he said: "If you will only recite the Sunitra it will deliver you." He waved his hand as much as to say: "I don't want to hear that." Then they said: "Call on Juggernaut." He shook his head, as much as to say: "I can't do that." Then they thought, perhaps he was too weary to speak, and they said: "Now, if you can't say 'Juggernaut,' think of that God." He shook his head again, as much as to say: "No, no, no." Then they bent down to his pillow, and they said: "In what will you trust?" His face lighted up with the very glories of the celestial sphere as he cried out, rallying all his dying energies: "Jesus."

Oh, come today to the fountain—the fountain open for sin and uncleanness. I will tell you the whole story in two or three sentences. Pardon for all sin. Comfort for all trouble. Light for all darkness. And every wilderness has a well in it.

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The Mayor's Remuneration By-Law

Whereas under and by virtue of the Municipal Act, 1889, it is enacted that the Council of every Municipality may from time to time make, alter or repeal By-Laws for (inter alia) paying the Mayor out of the annual revenue a sum of money not exceeding $2000;

Be it therefore enacted by the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:—

1. There shall be paid to the Mayor for the time being of the said City of Victoria out of the annual revenue of the said City the sum of two thousand dollars ($2000.00).

2. This By-Law may be cited for all purposes as the "Mayor's Remuneration By-Law, 1889."

Passed the Municipal Council, the 23rd day of May, A.D. 1889.

Reconsidered and finally passed the Council, this 12th day of June, A.D. 1889.

[L.S.] JOHN GRANT,
Mayor.
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C.M.C. jel3

The Street Railway Guarantee By-Law, 1889.

WHEREAS, BY A BY-LAW ENTITLED THE "Street Railway By-law, 1888," passed by the Corporation of the City of Victoria on the 5th day of December, A.D. 1888, a charter or franchise was granted by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the said City of Victoria, to J. Douglas Warren, Andrew Gray, David W. Higgins, Joseph Hunter and Thomas Shotbolt, to lay tracks, erect poles and string wires thereon for motor, lighting, and other electrical purposes.

And whereas, the said J. Douglas Warren, Andrew Gray, D. W. Higgins, Joseph Hunter and Thomas Shotbolt have since assigned all their right, title and interest in and to the said charter or franchise, through the Honorable John Herbert Turner as Trustee, to a company incorporated and known as the National Electric Tramway and Lighting Company, limited liability.

And whereas, the said National Electric Tramway and Lighting Company, limited liability, is desirous of prosecuting to completion the work contemplated and provided for by the said charter or franchise, and have applied to the Corporation of the City of Victoria for aid, in order that the said works may be speedily constructed and put in operation.

And whereas, it is expedient to grant the prayer of the said company for such aid by a guarantee of interest at the rate of five (5) per cent. per annum for a period of twenty years on the sum of forty thousand dollars ($40,000), for a part of the undertaking contemplated by said company, namely, for the purpose of constructing and equipping a Street Tramway or Railway.

And whereas it will require the sum of two thousand dollars ($2000) to be raised annually by special rate for the payment of said interest, in the event of the said corporation being called upon to pay the same;

And whereas the amount of the whole rateable property of the said Corporation of the City of Victoria, according to the last revised assessment roll, being for the year 1889, was $5,156,446.00, irrespective of any future increase of the rateable property of the municipality and of any income in the nature of tolls, interest, or dividends from the work, or from any stock, shares or interest in the work upon which the money so to be raised or any part thereof is intended to be invested, and also irrespective of any income from the temporary investment of the sinking fund or any part thereof.

And whereas for paying the said interest (in case as aforesaid) it will require an equal annual special rate of one twenty-eighth of one per cent. on the dollar;

And whereas it is intended to reduce the general rate so that the special rate shall not increase the total rate of taxation.

Therefore be it enacted by the Mayor and Aldermen of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:

1. That the Corporation of the City of Victoria shall guarantee interest at the rate of five per cent. per annum on the bonds of the said National Electric Tramway and Lighting Company, limited liability, to the amount of forty thousand dollars ($40,000) for a period of twenty years from the date of said guarantee in manner following, namely:

2. When it shall have been shown to the satisfaction of the Corporation of the City of Victoria that fifteen thousand dollars ($15,000) of the capital stock of the said Company has been paid up by the subscribers thereto and bona fide expended in and towards the construction of a street railway in said city by said company according to their charter, the said corporation shall guarantee interest at the rate of five per cent. per annum on a first issue of bonds of the said company to the amount of fifteen thousand dollars ($15,000), the interest so guaranteed to be paid half-yearly.

3. When it shall have been shown to the satisfaction of the said corporation that a further sum of fifteen thousand dollars ($15,000) of the capital stock of the said company has been paid up by the shareholders thereof and a sum of at least forty-five thousand dollars ($45,000) has been bona fide expended in and towards the construction of a street railway in said city by the said company, the said corporation shall further guarantee interest at the rate of five per centum per annum on a further issue of bonds to the amount of fifteen thousand dollars ($15,000) for a period of twenty years from the date of such guarantee, the interest so guaranteed to be payable half-yearly.

4. When it shall have been shown to the satisfaction of the said corporation that a further sum of ten thousand dollars ($10,000) of the capital stock of the said company has been paid up by the shareholders thereof and that a sum of at least seventy thousand dollars ($70,000) has been bona fide expended by the company in and towards the construction of a street railway aforesaid, the said corporation shall further guarantee interest at the rate of five per centum per annum on a further and final issue by the said company of bonds to the amount of ten thousand dollars ($10,000) for a period of twenty years from the date of such guarantee, the interest so guaranteed to be payable half-yearly, the proceeds of this last issue of bonds to be expended as aforesaid.

5. The liability of the said corporation shall not extend beyond the guarantee of interest at the rate of five per centum per annum as aforesaid.

6. The guarantee is subject to the conditions that the said corporation shall have the right to appoint one or more auditors to examine the books of the said company, and shall have the further right to a representative on the board of directors of the said company during the whole period of the continuance of the guarantee, such representative to be nominated by the said corporation.

7. Any sum or sums of money so paid by the said corporation under its guarantee or guarantees as aforesaid shall be a first charge upon all the property and undertaking of the said company subject to the said bonds, and shall be a part of the consideration for this guarantee and shall be payable and paid to the said corporation by the said company before any dividend shall have been paid to the shareholders thereof.

8. The acceptance by said company of the benefit of this guarantee shall be conclusive evidence of the assent of said company to the foregoing clause of this by-law.

9. The form of bonds to be issued by said company to be approved of by said corporation before any liability under this guarantee attaches.

10. This by-law and the liability of the said corporation is subject to the condition that the moneys expended by the company to obtain the benefit of this guarantee and the moneys obtained from the proceeds of the bonds in respect of which interest is guaranteed by said corporation shall be bona fide expended by said company in and towards the construction of a street railway and for no other purpose.

11. That for the purpose of forming a sinking fund for the payment of said interest an equal special rate of one twenty-eighth of one per cent. on the dollar shall be raised levied and collected in each year in case said corporation be called upon to pay same upon all rateable property in the said municipality during the continuance of this guarantee.

12. This by-law shall take effect on the 28th day of June, 1889.

13. This by-law may be cited for all purposes as "The Street Railway Guarantee By-Law, 1889."

Passed the Municipal Council the 3rd day of May, A. D. 1889.

Received the assent of the ratepayers the 11th day of June, A. D. 1889.

Reconsidered and finally passed the Council this 12th day of June, A. D. 1889.

[L.S.] JOHN GRANT,
Mayor.
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C. je19

MUNICIPAL.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, pursuant to section 5 of chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes of Canada, intituled "An Act respecting certain works constructed in or over Navigable Waters," that the Municipal Council of the City of Victoria, Province of British Columbia, has deposited with the Minister of Public Works of Canada a plan and a description of a wharf or dock, to be used for sanitary purposes, situate at Ross Bay, at the said city, in the said province, and a duplicate of each with the registrar of deeds for the said city of Victoria.

AND NOTICE IS ALSO HEREBY GIVEN, that application will be made, after the first day of August, 1889, to the Governor-in-Council for approval of said plan and work.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
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Dated at Victoria, British Columbia, this 19th day of June, 1889. je20

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MUNICIPAL.

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By order
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.

City Clerk's Office, May 30th 1889. my31

A BY-LAW

To provide for the payment of Assistant Assessors.

WHEREAS ON THE 17TH DAY OF APRIL, A. D. 1889, Wm. Dalby, Wm. W. Northcote and E. Dickinson were elected and appointed to assist the Assessor of the City of Victoria in his duties;

Be it therefore enacted by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:

1. Each of them, the said Wm. Dalby, William W. Northcote and E. Dickinson, shall be paid for his services as such Assistant Assessor at the rate of $1 for every entire hour during which he was actually engaged in the duties as an Assistant Assessor as aforesaid.

2. This By-Law may be cited as "The Assistant Assessors' By-Law, 1889."

Passed the Municipal Council the 15th day of May, A.D. 1889. Reconsidered and finally passed the Council this 14th day of June, A.D. 1889.

[L.S.] JOHN GRANT,
Mayor.
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C. je15-tf

MUNICIPAL NOTICE.

All consumers of water of Victoria City Water Works are requested to take notice that water for irrigating purposes shall be used during the irrigating season in the different wards of the city between the hours of 6 p. m. and 10 p. m. only on the respective days mentioned, namely: In Johnson Street Ward on Mondays and Thursdays; in Yates Street Ward on Tuesdays and Fridays; in James Bay Ward on Wednesdays and Saturdays. Any infractions of the above regulations will involve an immediate increase of the water rates of the parties concerned.

By order,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
City Clerk's Office, June 11th, 1889. je11

MUNICIPAL NOTICE.

REMOVAL OF THISTLES.

Owners or their Agents of property within the City Limits are hereby notified to remove thistles which may be growing upon their lots; in default of so doing the Thistle By-Law will be enforced.

By order
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.

City Hall, June 8th, 1889. june 8

MEETINGS TO BE HELD.

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LOAN BY-LAW.

WHEREAS, THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL of the corporation of the City of Victoria, has resolved to raise by way of a loan the sum of $45,000, to be expended in street and bridge improvements in said city and in enlarging the area of Ross Bay Cemetery.

And whereas it will require the sum of $2,169 to be raised annually by special rate for the payment of said debt and interest as hereinafter mentioned.

And whereas, as the amount of the whole rateable property of the said corporation of the City of Victoria, according to the last revised assessment roll, being for the year 1889, was $5,156,000 irrespective of any future increase of the rateable property of the municipality, and of any income in the nature of tolls, interest or dividends from the work, and also irrespective of any income from the temporary investments of the sinking fund or any part thereof.

And whereas, for paying the interest and creating an equal yearly sinking fund for paying the said principal sum of $45,000, and interest as hereinafter mentioned it will require an equal annual special rate of one-eighteenth of one per cent. on the dollar.

And whereas, it is intended to reduce the general rate so that the said special rate shall not increase the total rate of taxation.

Therefore, be it enacted by the Mayor and Aldermen of the Corporation of the City of Victoria:

1. That it shall be lawful for the Mayor of the said city to raise by way of loan from any person or persons, body or bodies corporate, who may be willing to advance the same upon the credit of the debentures hereinafter mentioned, a sum of money not exceeding in the whole the sum of $45,000, and to cause the same to be paid to the treasurer of the said corporation for the purposes and with the objects following, that is to say, to be expended in alterations, additions and improvements as follows:

Rock Bay Bridge.
Work Street.
Pandora Street extension.
Third Street extension.
Fernwood Road.
Yates Street.
Broad Street.
Blanchard Street extension.
Wharf Street for sanitary purposes.
Ross Bay Cemetery.
Ontario Street.
Dallas Road.
Catherine Street and other streets.

2. That it shall be lawful for the said Mayor to issue any number of debentures to be made for such sums of money as may be required for not less than $1,000 each, and

LOCAL PARAGRAPHS.

News of the City and Province Briefly Told.

—Ice Cream at Stitt's.

—Zylonite collars and cuffs at Daley's 111 Government street.

—The Nanaimo junior baseball club has ordered a complete outfit.

—The Victoria Athletic Club will picnic to-morrow at Langford Plains.

—The best Piano made in Canada is the Dominion. Waitt & Co., agents. *

—Rowbotham's new brick with a handsome coat of paint looks tip-top.

—The Mexico will sail for San Francisco at one o'clock to-morrow afternoon.

—The best German and English Pianos are to be found at Waitt's Music Store. *

—80,000 represents the number of Fischer Pianos in use. Agents, Waitt & Co. *

—Maslin and granite preserving kettles at McLennan & McFeeley's 70 Yates street. *

—Portable picnic boilers for tea and coffee, for rent, at McLennan & McFeeley's. *

—Ice cream delivered to all parts of the city. New England Bakery. Telephone call 161. *

—The Queen of the Pacific is undergoing repairs at the Union Iron Works, San Francisco.

—The telephone company received from the east last night a quantity of new apparatus.

—The Idaho arrived last evening with a large freight. The largest item was 3000 sacks of flour.

—"Lignomur," the latest and most artistic wall decoration, at John Weller's 51 to 55 Fort street. *

—The steamer Maude left for the West Coast this morning with a surveying party bound for Hesquot.

—Owing to the low tide in the daytime, the next blast at Niobe Rock will not take place for several days.

—The alleged Tacoma forger, Wm. Foster, returned to Tacoma this morning with Deputy-Marshal Cady.

—Campbell & Simpkins, the fashionable tailors of Victoria, announce a general reduction for one month. *

—The James Bays will play a game of baseball at Vancouver on Tuesday, July 2nd with the Termical City nine.

—Attention is called to the fact that the finest Pianos and Organs in the city can be had at Waitt's Music Store. *

—A bench warrant has been issued out of the Seattle court for the arrest of Tom Cleary, the pugilist, now in this city.

—The funeral of the late James Ward will take place at 2 o'clock to-morrow from Hayward's undertaking rooms.

—The Vancouver Coal Co. are experimenting with clay found near Nanaimo as to it adaptability for brick making.

—A very enjoyable hop was given in Oliver's Dancing Academy last night. About fifty young folks were present.

—The sacred concert band will perform the usual programme of music at Beacon Hill to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

—Several Indian drunken cases figured in the police court to-day for which the usual five dollar fine was imposed.

—June issue, British Columbian Magazine, is at bookstores and Daily's Bazaar. Everyone should buy this handsome number. 1mo.

—Visitors before leaving for home should have their photos taken at Hall & Lowe's, Government street, where they are sure to get the best. *

—Mr. Hugh McDonald will at once commence work on the Johnson street sewer in earnest. He advertises to-day for 50 men to go on the work.

—Mr. Wm. McNiffe has disposed of an acre of ground on the Esquimalt road through Bourchier & Higgins, to Mr. J. L. Penney, for $3000.

—On account of increase in business, the C. P. R. Telegraph Co. are preparing to quadruplex facilities from Montreal through to the Pacific coast.

—The City of Puebla, Capt. Debney, arrived last night from San Francisco with a very large freight, principally for Seattle. For this port there were 175 tons.

—The *Empire* reports Rev. Mr. Macleod as saying before the General Assembly that "since going to the Pacific Coast he had become a rather violent Imperial Federationist." *

—The Cranberry hotel at Nanaimo river, which has been run by Mr. Louis Rowan for some time past, has been leased by Mr. Thomas Hunter, who will take immediate possession.

—It is said that Capt. Cates, of the Robert Ker, holds a one-twentieth ticket in the last drawing of the Louisiana Lottery, calling for a portion of the second prize amounting to about $7500.

—A carload of Antique Oak Bedroom furniture, latest designs, handsomely carved, also Walnut Roll Curtain and other office desks, just received by John Weiler 51 to 55 Fort street. *

—Edward Dawson, of Comox, was married to Miss Annie Smith of the same place at St. Paul's church, Nanaimo, on Friday evening. The groom was formerly a foreman on the E. & N. R.

—Comparisons are not always so odious that they should not be known to the world. Jay Gould gave $1000 to the Johnstown sufferers, while Editor Shepard, of the *Mail and Express* gave $5000.

—The Canadian Pacific Railway Company's earnings for the week ending June 14th were $250,000; for the same week last year $270,000. The above does not include the earnings of the South-eastern Railway.

—The C. P. R intend to commence at once to bore for coal on the site of the city of Vancouver. The Indian Reserve on False Creek will be the ground first tried. Boring machinery has arrived from the east.

—Friday afternoon officer O'Connell, of Nanaimo, took over $500 from a person who was on a protracted spree, and was in danger of losing it. The money was deposited in the Bank of British Columbia to the credit of the owner.

—A large wolf was seen at Swan Lake on Thursday morning. The animal entered Mr. Short's yard and was hunting for chickens. Mr. Short says the wolf prowls around at daybreak and was seen near his residence on two or three occasions.

—Probably the busiest men in Seattle to-day are the architects. Their offices are constantly crowded with persons getting plans and specifications. The buildings for which plans are now being prepared are mostly large business blocks. *Times.*

—We understand that Mr. Michael Hart, of this city, has disposed of his two lots on the corner of Bastion and Government streets, Nanaimo, to prominent merchants of that city. The sale will be completed in a few days, and rumor places the purchase money at $7000.

—Winnipeg *Free Press:* Sir Leonard Tilley and party passed through the city yesterday afternoon by the Atlantic express *en route* home from a pleasure trip to the coast. Lieut.-Governor and Mrs. Schultz exchanged greetings with Sir Leonard at the depot. Sir Leonard said he had a most delightful time in the mountains and in Victoria.

—Mr. C. E. Riggins, Beamsville, writes, "A customer who tried a bottle of Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery says it is the best thing he ever used; to quote his own words, 'It just seemed to touch the spot affected.' About a year ago he had an attack of bilious fever and was afraid he was in for another, when I recommended this valuable medicine with such happy results." *

Cutlery.

M. & H. A. Fox have just received direct from Sheffield a large stock of table and pocket cutlery, scissors, etc. Shaving outfits a specialty. Call and examine at 78 Government street. *

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Surveyors Off.

The steamer Maude sailed at 9 o'clock this morning for the West Coast with a surveying party on board who will land at Hesquot and survey 20,000 acres of land in the interest of M. W. Tyrwhitt Drake. The land is supposed to be prolific in coal.

Wedding.

The marriage of Richard Shaw and Miss Nellie Compton will take place at the residence of Mr. Thoma Shaw, Chatham street, at 7:30 o'clock this evening. The young couple are well and favorably known in this city. THE TIMES extends congratulations in advance.

Railway Shares.

The visit of Mr. Villard and the railway elections at Portland have somewhat depreciated the shares of the Northern Pacific. On Wednesday they were 28¼, but a week before they were 29⅝.

The Canadian Pacific shares are strong at 55⅝.

Grand Trunk have gone down to 10.

Civic Improvements.

Ald. Coughlan will move at the next meeting of the Board of Aldermen a by-law for expenditures for water works, park improvement and fire department purposes. The sums involved in the proposed by-law are as follows: Water works, main, $70,000; water works, distribution, $60,000; park improvement, $25,000; fire department, $15,000.

Conversazione.

The Y. P. L. A. of the First Presbyterian church, will hold a conversazione in the school room of the church on Monday evening, June 24th. Refreshments of cake and raspberries will be served by the lady members. An excellent programme has been prepared to enliven the hour. Most of the performers will appear there for the first time. Admission 25c. 2t.

Picnics To-Day.

The pupils of Mr. Ker's class of the public schools to day held their picnic at Craigflower.

The young people of St. James' Church enjoyed their picnic in the sheltered spot known as Foul Bay.

The High School pupils selected Cadboro Bay as their picnic grounds. The weather might have been milder, but no doubt all made the best of the occasion.

The Militia For Vancouver.

It has been finally arranged that both the Westminster corps will visit Vancouver on July 1st and take part in the celebration there. Twenty-five members of the artillery have agreed to go, and thirty-five of the rifles, including the band. This will make the Westminster contingent 60 strong, but it is probable at least 70 men will answer to their names on Dominion Day morning.

An American Church.

The Rev. J. M. McLeod, who is to take charge of the third Presbyterian congregation at Vancouver, has arrived in the Terminal City. A peculiarity of the new congregation to which Mr. McLeod will minister is that it will be under a foreign Presbytery, the Presbytery of Puget Sound, instead of in connection with the Presbyterian Church of Canada.

A Frightful Fall.

Little Louise Marbeuf is still suffering from her frightful fall of fifty feet down an elevator in St. Ann's Convent on Thursday evening. Both of her arms are fractured and her throat severely cut by striking the ragged edges of the boards in her fearful descent. It is feared she has sustained internal injuries and brain fever is now imminent. Drs. Davie and Helmcken are in attendance and all their skill is called into use. The little lady is only twelve years of age and the accident is deplored by all. The only wonder is that she was ever picked up alive.

City Debentures.

A special meeting of the Board of Aldermen was held Friday night to consider tenders for the purchase of debentures issued under authority of the $45,000 Loan By-law. The highest tender was from Robt. Ward, Esq., whose bid was 103½. The debentures bear interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum and are made payable in 30 years or less at the option of the city.

Comparing Vancouver's recent loan of $125,000 at less than 2 per cent. premium, Victoria's credit is certainly the top of the tree.

Supposed to be Here.

C. F. Crouse, ex-inspector of the custom house, San Francisco, who was recently indicted by the United States grand jury for complicity in the Ahifs opium smuggling case, is wanted by the United States marshal for a hearing before the United States courts, but cannot be found, and is supposed to have left for Victoria, with Gandes, Westcott and Gallagher, who are also wanted in connection with the matter. Crouse is supposed to have assisted Ahifs in bringing the opium ashore, and would be the principal witness against the conspirators, could his testimony be obtained.

Chinaman in the Air.

A Chinaman employed as hod carrier on the new St. Andrew's church, fell from a scaffold last evening, with a load of bricks on his shoulder, to the ground a distance of twenty-five feet. John received a bad shaking up, but escaped with no more serious injury than a dislocated elbow. What caused him to fall was a blow from a chip of brick knocked off by one of the workmen on the wall and which struck him in the eye and paralyzed him for the moment. He, however, magnified it a little after he had pulled himself together, and accused one of the bricklayers of throwing a brick at him. No doubt it felt like a whole brick.

For Destruction Island.

The lighthouse tender Manzanita is engaged in conveying a steam boiler, hoisting engines, derrick, etc., for Destruction Island. The engines and derrick are to furnish landing facilities at the island, where a lighthouse is to be constructed. The train load of iron mentioned in the dispatches a day or two since as having been consigned from Chicago to this coast, is also for the tower of the Destruction Island light. The dispatch speaks of twenty-five car loads, but according to the specifications, there is only 105 tons which, although, considerable of iron, is not twenty-five car loads by a long chalk. This iron is to be delivered at the island by the Manzanita.

Ear Opener.

Visitors to the telephone office need feel no alarm when they enter the office of that progressive company. The objects seated on raised chairs in the office, with their heads encased in articles resembling baseball masks are operators, and it will be unnecessary to stick a pin into them to discover that they are still in the land of the living. Early this morning a new invention was handed to the operators consisting of an appliance which is fitted to their heads and ears, giving them the free use of both hands. The invention will not enhance the beauty of the young men, and will not be used when lady operators occupy positions in the office.

O'Connor on Victoria.

Caraman O'Connor, on his return to Toronto, gave an account of his trip to the Pacific Coast to the sporting editor of the *Empire*. "Asked as to the trouble with Victoria, B. C., O'Connor said he simply made an arrangement to row there, but never agreed not to row elsewhere, and he did not think a regatta at Tacoma, W. T., a week in advance would interfere in any way with the Victoria affair, the places being ten or twelve hours' journey apart by steamer. However, he wished the British Columbians to understand that he had no desire or intention to slight them, and was as much chagrined as they were over the turn events subsequently took."

SUICIDE.

Another Chinaman Shuffles off the Mortal Coil.

Ah Git, a young Chinaman employed as cook at the Victoria Gardens, was found hanging in one of the stalls of a stable near that resort this morning, by Mr. Charles Pegden. The deceased was employed at the Gardens on the 13th May, the day following the murder of a girl in Fisgard street, and his actions since that time were most mysterious, and it is believed that he was implicated in some manner in the murder of the Chinese girl. Coroner Jackson held an inquest on the remains this morning. The following jurymen were sworn: C. P. Bloomfield, foreman; E. North, J. Sullivan, J. Iunia, W. Richmond and Geo. Gowdy.

James McCann testified that the man was very despondent for some days and was not seen around the house since tea time on Friday night.

Thomas Cleary corroborated the evidence of James McCann, and stated that deceased did not sleep in his room last night.

Charles Pagden stated that he found the body of the Chinaman hanging in the stable at 7:45 o'clock this morning. The means used by the deceased to hang himself was a small cord which was formerly used as a clothes line. He threw the cord over a rafter and stood on a box. He then placed the noose around his neck and jumped off the box. When the body was discovered the feet were about three inches from the floor; the cord cut deeply into his neck and his shoes were on the floor; supposed the man was hanging for ten hours.

The jury viewed the body and returned a verdict of suicide by hanging.

Free Land! Free Trade! Free Men!

A lecture in Temperance Hall on Sunday, 23rd June at 7:45 p. m., under the auspices of the Anti-Poverty Society. Subject: Anti-Poverty and Temperance. Admission free.

Death.

On Friday the funeral of Margaret Helen, daughter of D. W. Gordon, M. P., Nanaimo, aged 9 years and 6 months, took place from her father's residence. The cause of death was diphtheria, which has carried off so many young lives at that city. Mrs. Gordon, who nursed the little girl during her illness, has also taken the disease. Mr. Gordon's many friends will deeply sympathize with him in his bereavement.

Rural Shades.

Several picnic parties left the city this morning for the country, including boys of the Central School:

The statesman, lawyer, merchant, man of trade,
Pants for the refuge of some rural shade,
Where, all his long anxieties forget
Amidst the charms of a sequestered spot,
Or recollected only to gild o'er
And add a smile to what was sweet before.
He may possess the joys he thinks he sees,
Lay his old age upon the lap of Ease,
Improve the remnant of the wasted span,
And, having lived a trifler, die a man.
—COWPER: "Retirement."

Church Notices.

Rev. J. E. Starr, in the Gorge Road Methodist in the morning, Pandora street church in the evening. Rev. W. W. Baer, Pandora street Methodist in the morning, Gorge Road church in the evening.

Y. M. C. ASSOCIATION.—The following services will be held at the rooms of the Young Men's Christian Association to-morrow. Gospel service for men at four o'clock, with an address by the Rev. J. E. Starr; evangelistic meeting for young men at 8:15 p. m, conducted by the General Secretary.

Gospel Tent, Saturday, 8 p.m., subject "The Sabbath"; Sunday 3 p. m., subject "Examination of the Scriptures supposed to teach Sunday Sacredness"; Sunday, 8 p. m., subject. "Who changed the Sabbath?"

What Caught Her.

C. P. Willis, a San Francisco contractor who is missing and was supposed to have come to this city, left a wife, a Samoan princess, behind. How she became infatuated with him she tells to the *Examiner* thusly:

The first thing I saw when we went alongside the ship was a white man with a bald head. That looked very funny to me, as I had never seen a bald headed man before. He was real fat and nice looking, but he did not have any hair on his head; and I got my brother, who could talk English, to ask him, just as soon as we got aboard, where was all the hair that belonged on his head. And the white man told him that he lived in California, and they did not have any cold weather there, but had what they called "a glorious climate," and the "climate" had taken all the hair off his head. We got very well acquainted, and I liked him, because when another white man kept talking to me this one with the bald head quarreled with him and knocked him down so he should not bother me.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria,
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria,
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria,
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

DIED.

GORDON—At her father's residence, Prideaux Street, Nanaimo, at 2 a. m., on the 21st inst., Margaret Helen, aged 9 years and 4 months, beloved daughter of D. W. Gordon, M. P., of diphtheria.

Passengers Arriving.

Per steamer North Pacific from the Sound.—A A Fuller and wife, F Oliver and wife, C A Shipley and wife, P Tyler and wife, Miss Shipley, Mrs Moore and two sons and daughter, C B Lange, C A Johnson and wife, H A Wood and wife and son, F Freeman, T A Brown, W Carver, H W Schmidt and wife, J F Hamilton, W G Lake, E G Lawless, J M Henlen, C C Easley, D Dorr, C S Cody, F Hardin L W Holmes, J Tyson and wife, Miss Williams, J Portuze, J Taylor, H A Walker, J Seisberry, Chas Butler, T H Williams, A Beck, H Beck, C Rice, Miss Merrill, A B Spaulding, C T Austin, G H Raymond, Mrs S H Balkcom, Mrs S H Newhall, Mrs Robinson and daughter, J Whiting and wife, C H Finey and wife, C J Baker and wife, C A Field, G Harris, J Houghton, Col G F Crooker, O Crooker, J McDougall, W T Shelby, Miss Moore, F S Jones, M E Mathers, wife and daughter, S E Smith, G E Whiting, wife son and daughter, J L Thatcher and wife, C M Roberts, H J Wilson, W E Brown, J Berdie, W Mason, P McCoy and wife, J Otto, H C Loch, O M Hutchins, H M Wright, F E Bateman, W Sutherland, J Griffin, J Grant, C Wolf, H Scott, Mrs Williams, O A Anderson and wife, D B Splard, C H Cook, J W Merrick, J Cushing.

Per steamer Islander from Vancouver—McCapes, F Boschier, J J McDonald, F Anthony, H Bennett, W A Duncan, J McAllister, Mrs W Rae, Miss E Mems, Miss J Stone, J Stoughton, Mrs Slight, J Oliver, F H Robson, J Hamilton, J C Parker, L B Johnston, T W Dowsie, H Moore, Mrs Bonsey, Miss Bonsey, A Charlesworth, Miss Charlesworth, W Manson, A H B McTowan, Mrs S B Martin, Mrs J S Clate, R Collister, J B Johnston, J S Clate, A McGregor, J E Valt, L C Collins, Mrs Collins, Bishop Sillitoe, Mrs Sillitoe, E McHendry, J McHundry, S W Barfland, Mrs McFarland, J Warner, Mrs Warner, Rev H Bishop, Mrs A J Bishop, Master Bishop, W N Beck, C E Ladner, B Douglas, R L McIntosh, J A Latelaw, F Berrell, Jas Clarke, Dr Tunnell, Miss A Wood, Miss J Woods, L Morris, Mrs L Mowatt, P Bowie, G A Perin, A Fee Hutson, W M Wasson, W Sutton.

Consignees.

Per steamer North Pacific, from the Sound—John Parker, J Sehl, F Schottelt, Langley & Co, Marvin and T. B P Bateman.

Per steamer Islander from Vancouver—Collector Inland Revenue, A H Grey, A Lockhart E A Musgrave H Saunders, J H Maynard, J C Devlin, Mann & Co, L McCorman, S Leiser, T N Hibben, Ahrens and Gordon, Ames Holden Co, E C Baker, H G Walker, J Fullerton, M W Waitt, R Boyce, W H Dier, Mrs Capes, Hudson's Bay Co, A L Belyea, Chas Wilson, G L Simpson, H Gribble, J H Baker, McLean & Co, L Lowry Stone, W B & Co, Hong Chung, Dominion Express Co.

Per Str. City of Puebla, from San Francisco—C P R, A J Works, A Laurence, A Dearing, B & Co, B Levy, Colonist, Carter & Russle, C W Rogers, C Morley, D H Ross & Co, Ellis & Co, E H Marvin, E G Prior & Co, Fell & Co, F D A Brodie, F Jones, F W, G Simson, G W Bapty, H H A Lilley, H Maxwell, H Saunders, H Short H S Farwell, J & A Clearihue, J Barrow, J Engelhardt, J J Kuhn, J W Lewis, J Mattson, J Musgrave, J Richardson, J Walker, Kelly & McN, Mg, Donald Bros, Kwong On Tai, Langley & Co, M & Tilton, M R & Tye, Mrs O W Baker, M & Sinclair, Portman, N & N, Pendray & Co, P Robin, P McGuade & Son, P McIntosh, P Matthews, R Y Winch, Baker & Son, San Francisco Bridge Co, S Gray, S Leiser, S J Pitts, S Eagle, Sal Song Yung, T W Clark, W J McK, W & Jamieson, W M Ma Welch, Ritchet & Co, Young Chong, Wells Fargo.

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Tract No. 2.—Starting on the north side of unsurveyed channel about two miles east of Discovery Passage, thence running 60 chains west; 100 chains north; 100 chains east; 100 chains south to the shore; 40 chains along shore to place of commencement.

Tract No. 3.—Starting on the north side of unsurveyed channel running 80 chains north; west 60 chains; south 80 chains; east along shore 80 chains to point of commencement.

Tract No. 4.—Commencing on a bay running 20 chains south; east 20 chains; north 40 chains; east 40 chains; south 80 chains to the shore line; northerly along the shore to point of commencement.

Tract No. 5.—On a bay on the south side of the unsurveyed channel, running 30 chains south; 20 chains east; 40 chains south; 60 chains east; north 60 chains to the shore line; west along the shore line to point of commencement.

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